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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	Timothy G. Nye		
Application No.:	10/044,291	Group:	2457
Filed:	January 10, 2002	Examiner:	Gregory G. Todd
Confirmation No.:	6857		
For:	Method for Providing an At	tribute Bounded	Network of Computers

Mail Stop Amendment RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transn	nitted herewith is an Amendment for filing in the above-identified application.
	Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a Small Entity Statement previously submitted.
	A Small Entity Statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

The claims fee has been calculated as shown below:

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The Application Size Fee has been calculated as shown below: (Effective for cases filed on or after December 8, 2004)

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(Including current amendment)	Sheets Paid For (At least 100)	For (Increments of	Ratc	Total Amount Owed		Rate	Total Amount Owed		Sufficient for up to	r
			X \$135	\$[]		X \$270	\$[]		[] Sheets	

Petition for Extension of Time

	Applicant hereby petitions to extend the time to respond to the $[]$ dated $[]$ month(s) from $[]$ to $[]$. The appropriate fee is set forth below.] for []
\boxtimes	The undersigned attorney petitions the Commissioner for Patents to extend the	time fo	r filir

The undersigned attorney petitions the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for filing a Notice of Appeal in reply to the Office Action made Final dated October 28, 2008 for one (1) month, from January 28, 2009 to February 28, 2009 under 37 CFR § 1.136(a).

In lieu of filing a Notice of Appeal, Applicants' Attorney is filing a Request for Continued Examination concurrently herewith.

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	Claims Fee	\$	
	Application Size Fee	\$	
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	Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal	\$	810
		\$	
	TOTAL:	\$	940
check	is enclosed in payment of the following fees:		
	Petition for [] month Extension of Time	\$	
	Claims Fee	\$	
	Application Size Fee	\$	
	Other Fees:		
		\$	
		\$	
	TOTAL:	\$	
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Please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment in the fees that may be due in this matter to Deposit Account No. 08-0380.

Respectfully submitted,

HAMILTON, BROOK, SMITH & REYNOLDS, P.C.

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Dated: March 2, 2009